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SUBJECT: IAEA SAFEGUARDS AT ATUCHA NUCLEAR POWER STATION

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1. IAEA INSPECTORATE ADVISES THAT INSPECTIONS OF ATUCHA BEGAN 1971 DURING CONSTRUCTION AND HAVE CONTINUED REGULARLY SINCE THAT TIME. THREE INSPECTIONS CARRIED OUT DURING 1973. DURING 1974, ONE INSPECTION CARRIED OUT IN MARCH, SHORTLY AFTER CRITICALITY AND SECOND INSPECTION SCHEDULED THIS WEEK; INSPECTOR PRESENTLY IN ARGENTINA. AT LEAST ONE MORE INSPECTION PLANNED LATER THIS YEAR.

2. FREQUENCY OF INSPECTION WILL BE INCREASED WHEN FULL POWER ACHIEVED, PROBABLY WITHIN FEW MONTHS. NO FUEL HAS BEEN DISCHARGED AS YET; INITIAL DISCHARGE ANTICIPATED DURING 1975. STEADY-STATE RATE OF CHARGE/DISCHARGE WILL BE SOMEWHAT LESS THAN ONE FUEL ASSEMBLY, CONTAINING ABOUT 250 CG U EACH, PER DAY. WEIGHT AND LENGTH (ABOUT 5 METERS) ON ASSEMBLIES EXPECTED TO FACILITATE SAFE-GUARDING TASK AT REACTOR. CONTAINMENT (SEALS) AND SURVEILLANCE EQUIPMENT PLANNED FOR INSTALLATION IN ANTICIPATION INITIAL FUEL DISCHARGE. PORTER

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